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## NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

## **DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS**

The market on frozen 8-16 lb. hens and 16-24 lb. toms is steady with a steady to instances firm undertone. Frozen demand light to moderate, instances good. Offerings of frozen hens and 16-24 lb. toms light to moderate with supplies varying by size and seller. Fresh demand moderate to good for November. Offerings very light to light for November. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent processor offering prices on a national basis for hens 98.00-111.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 98.00-111.00 cents fob for current shipments. Frozen trading light on frozen basted equivalent hens and 16-24 lb. toms traded at 107.50-110.50 cents fob current shipments consisting mostly of part loads.

The market on most parts and meat items is steady to firm, except destrapped tenderloins which are steady. Demand light to good, mostly moderate to good. Offerings very light to instances moderate, mostly very light to light. The market on institutional breasts is steady to sometimes firm. Demand moderate. Offerings light to moderate with some holding inventories with more confidence. Trading moderately heavy on frozen mechanically separated turkey at higher prices, balance light.

## **EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS**

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Trading light with activity also reported on frozen tom breast meat. The market is steady to firm. Demand light to good, mostly moderate. Offerings very light to light and held with confidence.

## NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS

INCLUDING BULK MEAT AND FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS

The market on white meat is steady to firm. Demand light to good, mostly moderate to good. Offerings very light to moderate, mostly very light to light. The market on tom bulk parts is steady to firm. Demand light to good, mostly moderate to good. Offerings very light to light. The market on thigh meat is steady to firm. Demand light to moderate with fresh the most active. Offerings very light to light. Trading light. For domestic: body chopping skin 32-37, frozen tom breast meat and destrapped tenderloins +6 months age 150, livers 27 pet food, fresh wing meat 101.75, fresh scapula 138.75, cents delivered. For export: frozen scapula 136, frozen tom breast meat 185-192 cents delivered

| DOMESTIC TRADING                 | PRICE<br>RANGE | L.S.T.<br>CODE 1/ | WTD AVG<br>PRICE | VOLUME<br>(000) |
|----------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/      | TO TO TO       | R                 | 124.00           | 2               |
| BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE AFRESH 2/ |                | F                 | 173.86           | 42              |
| BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/  |                | F                 | 118.00           | 18              |
| DRUMSTICKS, TOM                  | 91.00          | •                 | 91.00            | 2               |
| DRUMSTICKS, TOMFRESH             | 90.00          |                   | 90.00            | 40              |
| DRUMSTICKS, HEN                  | 83.00-91.00    |                   | 85.55            | 88              |
| WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM             | 80.00-86.00    |                   | 82.67            | 240             |
| WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN             | 81.00          |                   | 81.00            | 8               |
| WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM               | 66.00          |                   | 66.00            | 25              |
| WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN               | 115.00-128.00  |                   | 119.33           | 12              |
| NECKS, TOM                       | 53.00          |                   | 53.00            | 2               |
| NECKS, HEN                       | 48.00-50.00    |                   | 48.40            | 10              |
| BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/             |                | R                 | 204.00           | 80              |
| BREASTS, B/S, TOMFRESH 3/        | 218.00         |                   | 218.00           | 40              |
| THIGH MEAT                       | 124.00         |                   | 124.00           | 40              |
| THIGH MEATFRESH                  |                | F                 | 131.04           | 293             |
| BREAST TRIM MEAT                 |                |                   |                  |                 |
| SCAPULA MEAT                     |                | R                 | 136.00           | 40              |
| WING MEAT WITH SKIN              |                | R                 | 100.00           | 40              |
| TENDERLOINS                      |                | W                 | 160.00           | 10              |
| DESTRAPPED TENDERS               |                |                   |                  |                 |
| DESTRAPPED TENDERSFRESH          |                | M                 | 185.00           | 120             |
| MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/        | 38.00-45.00    |                   | 41.01            | 1,635           |
| MECHANICALLY SEPARATEDFRESH 4/   |                | F                 | 38.50            | 176             |
| EXPORT TRADING                   |                |                   |                  |                 |
| DRUMSTICKS, TOMS                 |                | F                 | 94.00            | 108             |
| WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS            |                | M                 | 72.00            | 108             |
| WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM               |                | F                 | 73.75            | 324             |
| TAILS                            |                | F                 | 60.00            | 108             |
| MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/        | 38.00          |                   | 38.00            | 10              |
| THIGH MEAT - FROZEN              | 119.00-123.00  |                   | 120.56           | 104             |
|                                  |                |                   |                  |                 |

1/ Codes for last significant trade (L.S.T.) M=Monday T=Tuesday W=Wednesday R=Thursday F=Friday 2/ Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted. 3/ Boneless & skinless without tenderloins. 4/ 15-20% fat with skin added.